

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) ~~A method for feeding an animal, comprising: feeding to the animal a fat-containing diet having an amount of a liposome-encapsulated avian immunoglobulin against lipase effective to decrease body-weight gained due to consumption of said diet. A~~ method comprising: feeding an animal food and a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 wherein ~~the immunoglobulin~~ said anti-lipase antibody is an avian antibody.

3. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2 ~~wherein~~ further comprising at least one of storing said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody in a wet state and freeze drying said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody ~~the avian antibody is part of a diet containing wet liposomes or freeze-dried liposomes.~~

4. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 wherein ~~[[the]]~~ said animal is a mammal.

5. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 wherein ~~[[the]]~~ said animal is an avian.

6-11. (Canceled).

12. (New) The method of claim 1 further comprising forming said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody prior to said feeding.

13. (New) The method of claim 1 wherein said animal food comprises dietary lipid.
14. (New) The method of claim 1 wherein said animal food comprises 25 to 1000 mg of said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody per kilogram of animal food.
15. (New) The method of claim 1 wherein said animal food comprises at least 25 mg of said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody per kilogram of animal food..
16. (New) A composition, comprising: a mixture of food for an animal and a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.
17. (New) The composition of claim 16 which contains 25-1000 mg of said liposome-encapsulated avian anti-lipase antibody per kilogram of said food.
18. (New) The composition of claim 16 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian anti-lipase antibody.
19. (New) The composition of claim 16 wherein said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody is in one of a wet state and a freeze dried state.
20. (New) The composition of claim 16 wherein said food is food for a mammal.
21. (New) The composition of claim 16 wherein said food is food for an avian.
22. (New) The composition of claim 16 wherein said food comprises dietary lipid.
22. (New) The composition of claim 16 wherein said food comprises at least 25 mg of said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody per kilogram of animal food.

23. (New) The composition of claim 16 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian anti-lipase antibody.

24. (New) A method of making a composition, said composition comprising a mixture of food for an animal and a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody, said method comprising:

forming said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody;

mixing said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody with said food.

25. (New) A composition comprising a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.

26. (New) The composition of claim 25 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian anti-lipase antibody.

27. (New) The composition of claim 25 wherein said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody is in a freeze dried state.

28. (New) A method of making a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody comprising:

forming said anti-lipase antibody; and

encapsulating said anti-lipase antibody with liposomes to form said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.

29. (New) The method of claim 28 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian anti-lipase antibody.

30. (New) The method of claim 28 further comprising freeze drying said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.

31. (New) A method of using a liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody comprising:
feeding said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody to an animal.
32. (New) The method of claim 31 wherein said anti-lipase antibody is an avian anti-lipase antibody.
33. (New) The method of claim 31 further comprising freeze drying said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody.
34. (New) The method of claim 31 further comprising mixing said liposome-encapsulated anti-lipase antibody with food for said animal.
35. (New) A method of making a composition comprising:
providing a solution including anti-lipase antibodies; and
adding liposomes to said solution to make a new solution.
36. (New) The method of claim 35 further comprising freezing said new solution.
37. (New) The method of claim 35 further comprising freeze drying said new solution.
38. (New) A composition formed by a process comprising:
providing a solution including anti-lipase antibodies; and
adding liposomes to said solution to make a new solution.
39. (New) The composition of claim 38 wherein said process further comprises freezing said new solution.
40. (New) The composition of claim 38 wherein said process further comprises

• freeze drying said new solution.

41. (New) A method of using the composition of claim 38 further comprising feeding said composition to an animal.